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Invitation to Bid on SCFC Timber Harbison State Forest S.C.F.C.

SFI / ATFS Certified Timber Bids Will Open Feb 7. 2022, 11 am SCFC Harbison State Forest Office 5600 Broad River Rd Columbia, SC 29072

Bids can be mailed, hand-delivered, or emailed to: Imiller@scfc.gov

P.O. Box 21707 Columbia, SC 29221 Attn: James Miller

All correspondence Must Reference Att. James Miller, Bid on Forest Products Sale <u>HSF-070-ADV-TS-22</u> and in the format/form of a Composite price per ton bid for pines and a Composite price per ton bid for hardwoods. The performance bond is to be paid in full within ten (10) working days of notification of Forestry Commission approval. Harvest payments are to be made within 10 working days of product removal.

Bidding Format Example

Buyers Name	HSF-070-ADV-TS-22	\$XX.yy Composite price per ton Pine	
		\$XX-yy Composite price per ton	
		Hardwood	

The SC Forestry Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

The sale is located in Richland County, Columbia approx. 34.084513° & -81.19362°.

Approximate Total Tons Available (Buyers is responsible for their own estimate)	1322~ Pine tons 211~ Hardwood tons	Performance Bond Required at Contract Signing	\$5,000 ^{.00}
Total Acres to be Harvested	~47ac.	Months to Complete Harvest Sale Ending Date	(12 Mon) Feb 1, 2023
Site Operability	dry logging only	Harvest Marked Boundaries (Red) and Paved Roads	Defined on the map and Marked in field by red paint and paved road
Harvesting Method	Area A: Opeerater select leving a min. 40 BA/ acres Trees marked in yellow must be left. Area B: Trees marked in BLUE are to be harvested Area C: Trees Marked in BLUE are to be harvested	Potential specialty products	Primarily sawtimber with potential for poles.
Site Restrictions	No active harvesting will be allowed October 24-October 28, 2022		

For additional information, contact: James Miller; JMiller@scfc.gov Telephone: (803) 896-8893.

Sale Requirements: A pre-logging conference must be scheduled between the SCFC representative and, the buyer.





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The successful bidder must comply with the SC Illegal Immigration Reform Act, 2008. This is done by signing a form as part of the contract. Loggers must be able to provide proof of COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY insurance for the amount of ONE MILLION DOLLARS (\$1,000,000) with the SCFC named as co-insured and proof of workers compensation insurance is necessary before a contract can be signed. Contractors shall follow OSHA safety regulations and shall comply with all federal, state, and local laws as well as EPA Worker Protection Standards and Migrant and Seasonal Workers Protection Act, if applicable.

Best Management Practices: All work must also adhere to the SCFC BMP standards (see SCFC BMP Manual). A mandatory courtesy BMP exam from the SCFC BMP Forester is required on this site. At least one responsible person on the logging crew must be a graduate of the South Carolina Timber Operations Professional Program or equivalent programs such as NC Pro Logger or GA Master Timber Harvester.

It will also be the buyers/logger's responsibility to obtain all necessary state and local permits and permission from DOT and any other pertinent entities prior to utilizing any state or local highway/road (or any other) shoulder/right of way associated with this tract. The buyer will also be responsible for performing all road work necessary to ensure the safe operation of 18 wheel logging trucks.

(see map below)



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